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Agenda item 16
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Draft report of the Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice on its forty-eighth session

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I. Opening of the session
(Agenda item 1)

1. The forty-eighth session of the Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice (SBSTA) was held at the World Conference Center Bonn in Bonn, Germany, from 30 April to 10 May 2018.

2. The Chair of the SBSTA, Mr. Paul Watkinson (France), opened the session on Monday, 30 April, and welcomed all Parties and observers. He also welcomed Ms. Annela Anger-Kraavi (Estonia) as Vice-Chair of the SBSTA and Mr. Aderito Manuel Fernandes Santana (Sao Tome and Principe) as Rapporteur.

II. Organizational matters
(Agenda item 2)

Adoption of the agenda
(Agenda sub-item 2(a))

3. At its 1st meeting, on 30 April, the SBSTA considered a note by the Executive Secretary containing the provisional agenda and annotations (FCCC/SBSTA/2018/1).

4. At the same meeting, the agenda was adopted as follows:

1. Opening of the session.

2. Organizational matters:

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(a) Adoption of the agenda;

(b) Organization of the work of the session;

(c) Election of officers other than the Chair;

(d) Mandated events.

3. Nairobi work programme on impacts, vulnerability and adaptation to climate change.

4. Report of the Adaptation Committee.[1]

5. Development and transfer of technologies: technology framework under Article 10, paragraph 4, of the Paris Agreement.

6. Research and systematic observation.

7. Local communities and indigenous peoples platform.

8. Koronivia joint work on agriculture.

9. Impact of the implementation of response measures:

(a) Improved forum and work programme;

(b) Modalities, work programme and functions under the Paris Agreement of the forum on the impact of the implementation of response measures;

(c) Matters relating to Article 2, paragraph 3, of the Kyoto Protocol.

10. Methodological issues under the Convention:

(a) Revision of the UNFCCC reporting guidelines on annual inventories for Parties included in Annex I to the Convention;

(b) Guidelines for the technical review of information reported under the Convention related to greenhouse gas inventories, biennial reports and national communications by Parties included in Annex I to the Convention;

(c) Emissions from fuel used for international aviation and maritime transport.

11. Methodological issues under the Kyoto Protocol: land use, land-use change and forestry under Article 3, paragraphs 3 and 4, of the Kyoto Protocol and under the clean development mechanism.

12. Matters relating to Article 6 of the Paris Agreement:

(a) Guidance on cooperative approaches referred to in Article 6, paragraph 2, of the Paris Agreement;

(b) Rules, modalities and procedures for the mechanism established by Article 6, paragraph 4, of the Paris Agreement;

(c) Work programme under the framework for non-market approaches referred to in Article 6, paragraph 8, of the Paris Agreement.

13. Modalities for the accounting of financial resources provided and mobilized through public interventions in accordance with Article 9, paragraph 7, of the Paris Agreement.

14. Cooperation with other international organizations.

15. Other matters.

16. Closure of and report on the session.

[1] Matters referred to in paragraphs 41, 42 and 45 of decision 1/CP.21.

III. Reports on agenda items 2(b) to 15

(To be completed)

IV. Closure of and report on the session

(Agenda item 16)

5. At its xx meeting, on xx May, the SBSTA considered and adopted the draft report on the session and authorized the Rapporteur, with the assistance of the secretariat and under the guidance of the Chair, to complete the report on the session and to make it available to all Parties.